109TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 4176

To provide for the release of certain Wilderness Study Areas involving public lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management in Lassen and Modoc Counties, California, and Washoe County, Nevada.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 28, 2005

Mr. DOOLITTLE (for himself and Mr. GIBBONS) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Resources

A BILL

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1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 3 SECTION 1. RELEASE OF WILDERNESS STUDY AREAS, BU-4 REAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT, LASSEN AND 5 **MODOC** COUNTIES. CALIFORNIA, **AND** 6 WASHOE COUNTY, NEVADA. 7 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds that, for the purposes

of section 603(c) of the Federal Land Policy and Manage-

- 1 ment Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1782(c)), the Wilderness
- 2 Study Areas and Instant Study Areas managed by the Bu-
- 3 reau of Land Management in Lassen and Modoc Counties,
- 4 California, and adjoining Wilderness Study Areas man-
- 5 aged by the Bureau of Land Management in Washoe
- 6 County, Nevada, which are generally depicted on the map
- 7 entitled "Wilderness Study Areas in California's 4th Con-
- 8 gressional District and Adjoining Areas of Washoe Coun-
- 9 ty, Nevada" and dated October 17, 2005, have been ade-
- 10 quately studied for wilderness designation.
- 11 (b) Release.—The Wilderness Study Areas and In-
- 12 stant Study Areas generally depicted on the map referred
- 13 to in subsection (a) are no longer subject to the require-
- 14 ments of section 603(c) of the Federal Land Policy and
- 15 Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1782(c)).

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